JUSTICE DEFEATED

GOV. BLEASE TO GIVE MANY CON-VICTS FREEDOM

MANY NEGROES GO FREE

One Hundred Convicts Will be Turned Loose by Governor Blease on Wednesday, Which Breaks the Record for Him in Letting Convicts Out of the Penitentiary.

Previous pardon records were broken when Governor Blease affixed his signature to papers granting freedom to one hundred convicts in the penitentiary and scattered on chain gangs throughout the state, this being the governor's list for Thanksgiving clemency. With the Thanksgiving number the total number of convicts pardoned and paroled by Governor Blease since he first assumed office in January, 1911, jumped to

The pardon and parole papers for the 100 convicts have been signed by the governor and will be sent to the office of Secretary of State R. M. Mc-Cown on Tuesday morning in order for him to affix his signature. The papers will be sent to the penitentlary, the State farm, and the county chain gangs where the prisoners are confined in time for them to be liberated on Wednesday and let them eat Thanksgiving dinner at their homes on Thursday.

Twenty-eight of the convicts turned loose were serving life terms for murder, twenty-eight for manslaughter, seven for burglary and larceny, ten for assault and battery with inture, five for housebreaking and larceny, one for larceny of live stock, larceny, one for safe-racking, one for larceny and forgery, one for bigamy, three for violation of the dispensary law, making a total of 100.

Of the convicts turned loose, Richland county heads the list with ten in number, Spartanburg and Greenville tie for second place with eight a piece, and the others are apportioned to the following counties: three, Marion three, Dorchester two, Union one, Bamberg one, Oconee one, Lancaster two, Abbeville three, Pickfour, Chester four, Marlboro one. Edgefield two, Laurens six, York one, Georgetown one, Cherokee five, Lexone, Dorchester one, Colleton one, Clarendon one, Chesterfield one, Cal-White Convicts Turned Loose.

The following are the white men turned loose: J. E. Hinson, congravated assault and battery, and sentenced to six months' imprison-

Williams, Sam K., convicted at the October, 1908, term of Court for Charleston county, of violation of an prisonment. Act providing for punishment for safe-cracking, and sentenced to fif-State penitentiary.

V. B. Bryant, or Lester Bryant, convicted at the September, 1911. Court of Greenville county of manslaughter and sentenced to five years'

imprisonment, was paroled. Fisher. Sam B., convicted at the June, 1912, term of court for Andersentenced to three years' imprison-

Fired. Thomas, convicted at the February, 1912, term of court for Pickens county, of murder, with rec-

ommendation to mercy and sentenc- Calhoun County and sentenced to five ed to life imprisonment in the State penitentiary. Williams, James, and Williams. Jasner, convicted at the Sentember. 1906, term of court for Orangeburg

county, of manslaughter, and sentenced to ten years, each, imprisonment in the State penitentiary. Westmoreland, W. H., convicted at the October, 1912, term of court for at the July 1907, Greenwood Court Laurens county, of assault and bat-

Cherokee county, of violation of the of manslaughter and sentenced to tery with intent to kill, and sentencdieneneary law, and sentenced to pay a fine of one hundred dollars or to Turner James, allas A. E. Barrett

term of court for Richland county, of larceny of bicycle, and sentenced to two voore' imprisonment

Jeter, Jacob B. convicted at the January, 1913, term of court for Lexington county of resisting an officer and assault and battery with intent to kill and sentenced to two years

imprisonment James, W. C., convicted at November, 1905, term of court for Georgetown county of manclaughter

and sentenced to ten years' imprisonment in the State penitentiary.

Hatchell, W. A., convicted at September, 1913, term of court for ed to life imprisonment. Derlington county, of obtaining goods by false pretenses, and sen-

June. 1913, term of court for Williamsburg county, of larceny of live

stock, and sentenced to one year im-

March, 1912, term of court for Ocoa high and aggravated nature, and for Newberry County of murder with ter and carrying concealed weapons, at the May, 1907, term of court for nee county, of assault and battery of sentenced to three years' imprison- recommendation to mercy, and car- and sentenced to seven years and six Laurens county of murder with rec-

rusey 1912 term of court for Aiken county, of rape, with recommendation to mercy, and sentenced to six

years' imprisonment. Sentember, 1912, term of court for Orangeburg county, of grand larceny, with recommendation to morey, and for Bamberg County of murder with Judge W. C. Benet presiding, of mur-

sentenced to eight months' imprisor-Collins, Flord, convicted at the November, 1911, term of court for Spartanburg county of largeny and 1912, term of Court for Union Count court for York county of murder with Lark, Henry Jones and John Mor-Spertanburg county of largeny and 1912, term of court for child country of largeny and sentenced to the country of makes compared to the country of makes and sentenced to recommendation to mercy and sentenced to recommendation to mercy and sentenced to the country of makes and the country of the country of makes and the country of the count two years and three years, respec- five years imprisonment. tively, in each case, imprisonment.

Hamilton, Julius, convicted at the covicted at the April, 1910, term of property for Court for Dorchester county of man-January, 1913, term of court for Court for Dorchester county of man-Clarendon county, of obtaining goods slaughter and sentenced to eight by false pretenses, and sentenced to years each imprisonment. welve months' imprisorment.

and sentenced to five years' imprison-

Lawson, Robet, convicted at the Aiken county, of murder, with recommendation to mercy, and sentenced to life imprisonment.

Etters, William, convicted at the January, 1913, term of court for Richland county, of rape with recommendation to mercy and sentenced to eight years imprisonment

Kelley, J. B., convicted at the February, 1913, term of court for Darlington county of assault and batters at Greenville in January, 1901, and with intent to kill and sentenced to sentenced to be hung March 20, 1901

ten years' imprisonment. Britton, W. C., convicted at the life imprisonment. January, 1909, term of court for tenced to life imprisonment.

Chumley, Lee, and Chumley, tenced to life imprisonment. Frank, convicted at the November, 1912, term of court for Spartanburg county of housebreaking and larceny 1905, term of Court for Spartanburg years, respectively, imprisonment.

Suddeth, Henry, convicted at the imprisonment. January, 1912, term of court for Greenwood county of involuntary manslaughter and carrying concealed of Court for Barnwell County of gressional investigation into prices of weapons, and was sentenced to five manslaughter and sentenced to sev- meat. vears' imprisonment.

Stover, J. P., convicted at the May, teen months' imprisonment.

court for Lexington county of breach Barnwell County, of manslaughter, packers at eight cents a pound cheap- stand by the president of the United and other big crop years and the perof trust and sentenced to one year's and sentenced to serve thirty years er than the lowest prices in the Unit- States. imprisonment.

the April, 1912, term of court for the October, 1910, term of Court for 15.38 cents for the corned product. Pendarvis, John W., convicted at Dorchester county, of manslaughter, Marion County of assault and battery of a high and aggravated na- and sentenced to nine years' impris- tery with intent to kill, and sen- for a Congressional investigation of tion vastly superior to that which onment.

Peigler, Wallace, and Peigler, two for obtaining goods under false Ruben, convicted at the November, pretenses, one for gambling, disor- 1912, term of court for Newberry derly conduct and larceny, three for county, of assault and battery of a and sentenced to be hung. Former Australia if the navy could do so. rape, two for breach of trust, one high and aggravated nature, and senfor larceny of bicycle, one for grand tenced to three years, each, imprisonment.

Moody, Sadie, convicted at the July, 1912, term of court for Kershaw county, of assault and battery with intent to kill, and sentenced to one year imprisonment.

Negro Convicts Turned Loose. The following negro convicts are Greenwood three, Lee one, Newberry has a very tender heart for the nefive, Darlington four, Charleston gro convicts as well as the white

Lorance, Will, colored, convicted at the August, 1911, term of court ens one. Anderson three, Barnwe'l for Spartanburg county, of mantwo, Williamsburg one, Orangeburg slaughter, and sentenced to eight years imprisonment.

Moody, Josh, colored, convicted at the March 1909, term of Court for ington four, Aiken four, Kershaw Chester County, of assault and battery with intent to kill, and sentence ed to seven years imprisonment.

crimes of which they were convicted: Anderson County, of manslaughter, sault and battery with intent to kill then unprecedented. Sugar, accordand sentenced to three years' imprisonment. Lowman, Preston, convicted at the

victed at the March, 1913, term of October, 1904, term of court for Aik-Court for Marlboro county, of ag- en County, of manslaughter, and sentenced to seven years' imprisonment. Nelson, Elizah, convicted at the prisonment. February, 1907, term of Court for

> Neil, Sam, convicted at the June, 1912 term of court for Marion counmendation to mercy, and sentenced

teen years' imprisonment in the ty, of rape, second count, with recomto five years' imprisonment.

Leake, Vandolf, colored, convicted at the January, 1907, term of Court for Laurens County, of murder, with recommendation to mercy, and son-

tenced to life imprisonment. Jones, John, colored, convicted a son county, of manslaughter, and the October term of Court for Cherokee County, of marslaughter, and sentenced to twenty years' imprison-

ment in the State Penitentiary. J. E. Murray, colored, convicted of bigamy at the May, 1910, Court for

years' imprisonment on the public works, was paroled. Jerry Alverson, colored, convicted at Spartanburg in July 1906 of murder, with recommendation to mercy Cherokee county, of manslaughter, and sentenced to life imprisonment and sentenced to ten years' imprison-

in the State Penitentiary, was pa- ment. roled. John Anderson, colored, convicted

twelve years, was paroled. Elisha Bennett, colored, convicted of murder with recommendation to ed at the May, 1912, term of court or murder with recommendation to be at the day, for Greenville county of assault and civilian chauseur were killed and annothing of value as Mr. Blackwell about 20 feet from the ground. Up- accident but was caught by Mr. Far- the end of the year after paying for

convicted at the Santamber. 1919 and sentenced to life imprisonment, battery with intent to kill and sen- other soldier was seriously injured was paroled. Tom Boston, colored, convicted of

the January, 1908 term of Court for for Abbeville county, of manslaugh-Laurens County, of manslaughter, ter, and sentenced to three years' imand sentenced to ten years' impris- prisonment.

Strand, John, colored, convicted at the April. 1902, term of Court for court for Charleston county, of bur- storming of the jail by a mob bent on Chester county of murder with rec- glary and larceny, and sentenced to lynching the negro, Will Fair.

ommendation to mercy, and sentenc-Suber. Nannie Lee, colored, convicted at the January. 1911, term of for Richland county of burglary and Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic downward into the first loop and imvelopment of the South, died at their automobile turned a double

tenced to twelve months' imprison- Court for Richland County of mur- larceny, and sentenced to ten years' der with recommendation to mercy, imprisonment. Goins. Charlie, convicted at the and sentenced to life imprisonment. Strother, Lem, colored, convicted at the September, 1909, term of Abbeville county, of murder, with Court for Abbeville County of mur- recommendation to mercy, and sen- at the March, 1910, term of court der with recommendation to mercy, tenced to life imprisonment. Cox. Leland, convicted at the and sentenced to life imprisonment. Wright, John, colored, convicted larceny and sentenced to five years'

at the November, 1908 term of Court for Lancaster county, of manslaughrying concealed weapons, and sen- months in the State penitentiary. tenced to life imprisonment.

Williams, Henry, colored, convictfor Richland county of murder with and sentenced to ten years' imprison- Edgefield county of manslaughter recommendation to mercy and sen- ment in the State penitentiary. tenced to life imprisonment.

Connelly, Robert, colored, convicted at the March, 1909, term of Court Sessions court for Newberry county, ed at the October, 1910, term of recommendation to mercy and sen- der with recommendation to mercy, with recommendation to mercy, and tenced to life imprisonment.

Comer. John. alias. Sweet Comer. colored, convicted at the February, victed at the July, 1900, term of Suggs, Tommic Patterson, George

Cobb, Julius and Daniel, colored, State penitentiary.

Smith, C. O., colored, convicted at Lawson, Robert, convicted at the the January, 1911, term of Court for NAVY OBTAINS BEEF CHEAPER January, 1913, term of court for Spartanburg County of murder with Laurens county, of manslaughter, recommendation to mercy, and sentenced to life imprisonment in the State penitentiary.

-Scruggs, Jack, colored, convicted February, 1906, term of court for at the July, 1907, term of Court for Spartanburg county for murder with recommendation to mercy, and sentenced to life imprisonment. Stevenson, Jones, colored, convict-

ed at the April, 1910, term of Court for Chester County, of murder, with recommendation to mercy, and sentenced to life imprisonment.

Lawrence Choice, alias Buss Choice, colored, convicted of murder and the sentence being commuted to

Rice Whitner, colored, convicted recommendation to mercy and sen-

Roberts, Paul, Jr., colored, con-

en years' imprisonment. colored. Richardson, Carolina,

sentenced to life imprisonment.

in the State Penitentiary. Gibbs, Maxie, colored, convicted at

tenced to five years' imprisonment. for Greenville County, of murder, efit by the advantage of buying from is aiming at.

27, 1910. and sentenced to ten years' imprisonment.

Jeffries, John, colored, convicted larceny and sentenced to five years' imprisonment.

Vann, John, colored, convicted at the January, 1909, term of Court for there. Richland County, of manslaughter. and sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment.

Fair, Hutson, colored, convicted. Greenville County, of murder, with United States the prices of foods recommendation to mercy, and sentenced to life imprisonment.

Grahan, Arthur, colored, convicted at the May, 1907, term of court for Greenville county, of manslaughter. and sentenced to fifteen years' im-

Robert Brown, colored, convicted Aiken County, of burglary and lar- at the June, 1910, court in Charlesceny, and sentenced to ten years' im- ton county of burglary and larceny there are any grounds for prosecuand sentenced to five years- imprisonment, was paroled.

Woods, Ellis, colored, convicted at the October, 1909, term of court for Darlington county, of murder, with recommendation to mercy, and seu-

tenced to life imprisonment. Horance Brockington, colored, convicted at Darlington in June, 1912, of assault and battery with intent to

kill and carrying concealed weapons. Petty, Henry, colored, convicted at the June, 1912, term of court for Cherokee county of burglary and larceny and sentenced to five years' im-

prisonment. Sheppard, John, colored, convicted at the March, 1910, term of court for

vears' imprisonment. Tucker, Frank, colored, convicted at the June, 1908, term of court for

Sweet, Will, colored, convicted at

ed to fifteen months' imprisonment. Johnson, Walter, colored, convict-

assault and battery with intent to of highway robbery and larceny at ished at Texas City Junction, near kill, at Newberry in March 1911, and Marion in October, 1908, and sen- Houston, Texas, by an engine at a sentenced to seven years imprison- tenced to eight years' imprisonment. railroad crossing. Fuller, Horton, colored, convicted Jones, Tom. colored, convicted at at the February, 1912, term of court

victed at the February, 1912, term of nicutt, accused of participation in

five years' imprisonment. Davis, Jim, colored, convicted at the September, 1904, term of court

Edwards, Tom, colored, convicted and semi-annual meeting. at the June, 1909, term of court for

Swindler, Tom. colored, convicted at the October, 1910, term of court imprisonment.

Wright, Arthur, colored, convicted to life imprisonment. at the June, 1906, term of court for Wilson, George, colored, convicted ment.

at the April, 1898, term of General and sentenced to life imprisonment. sentenced to life imprisonment. Joggers, William, colored, con-

FROM AUSTRALIA

PRICES HAVE SOARED

Congressional Investigation May be Made Into the Reasons for Such Conditions-Depaartment of Jus-

Storage of Food Products. General McReynolds can find an al- more than 500 listeners were not Greenville county of murder with at the May, 1911, term of Court for leged cold storage conspiracy, got un- long in doubt. recommendation to mercy and sen- Anderson county of murder with der way at Washington Monday and Scott Dumb, al'as Geo. Randolph, problem was threatened. While spe- day? It is Mexico. What are we gocolored, convicted at the November, cial agents of the department of jus- ing to do with Mexico or what is Mexand sentenced to two years and three County of murder with recommendation to mercy and sentenced to life piled up in cold storage to maintain of the United States in regard to er, Representative Britten, of Illi- whole evening with it-if I knew victed at the December, 1911, term nois, is preparing to ask for a Con- what that policy was.

ed States. The price paid was 11.90 cents a pound for the fresh beef at ness, you may call it executive busi- low:

the navy's beef contract, Congress- even all the members of the Chamber Cuffy, John, colored, convicted at man Britten declared he wanted to of Commerce possesses. He knows the November, 1910, term of court develop why the public could not ben- what he is about. He knows what he Governor Ansel commuted the sen- Representative McKellar, of Tennestence to ten years' imprisonment in see, had pending in the House'a bill peace at all hazards, and that by no the State Penitenitary on December, to prohibit interstate transportation act of his shall this nation be plungof any food products kept in cold ed into a destructive and dreadful Craig. Barber, colored, convicted storage more than 90 days. He con- war. He is entitled to that from us at the March, 1909, term of Court for tends its enactment into law would without regard to party and without

age question. Agents of the department of justice took up their work Monday in right in the end." at the October, 1909, term of Court all the principal cities. They will reby the Governor, which shows that he for Cherokee County of burglary and port particularly on eggs and dairy products and will attempt to make president of ours," he said, "has been an estimate of the quantities in cold in office now for nine months, and he storage and how long they have been

Statistics systematically gathered by agents of the department of labor and made public at Washington from month to month show that in all the at the June, 1904, term of Court for principal industrial centres of the needed by the average working man's family have steadily been soaring for Green, Jimmie, colored, convicted the last twenty-three years and in a at the September, 1912, term of great many instances have passed the of the convicts turned loose and the September, 1911, term of Court for Orangeburg County, of as- high price marks of 1907, which were and sentenced to two years' impris- ing to these statistics, is the only commodity showing a reduction.

Any Congressional investigation will be separate from that of the department of justice. Attorney-General McReynolds' agents will make their reports direct to Washington and what evidence is gathered will be weighed to determine whether

WHITE HOUSE WEDDING.

Miss Jessie Wilson Becomes Mrs.

Francis Bowes Sayre. With smiles of confident happiness turned toward each other, Franis Bowes Savre and Miss Jessie Woodrow Wilson, second daughter of the President and Mrs. Wilson, late Tuesday were joined in marriage at burg of murder with recommendathe White House before a company of tion to mercy and sentenced to life distinguished officials of the United States government, members of the tiary. diplomatic corps, close friends and Greenwood county of housebreaking relatives. It was a scene of rare briland larceny and sentenced to five linney, touched, through the ten minutes of ceremony, with a grave solemnity, as the President of the United States stood by his wife, their faces a study in deep emotion, as they gave in marriage the first one of their children. It was intensely a human sight as the meaningful words the April, 1913, term of court for of the service were softly spoken be-

Five Killed in Smash-Up. Four United States soldiers and a tenced to three years' imprisonment. Sunday when the automobile in Carter, Henry, colored, convicted which they were riding was demol-

More Indictments. After extraordinary session of the rarts were issued for three men, Sam his body pust below the heart. Freeman, William, colored, con- Ford, O. M. Thigpen and Will Hun-

To Meet in Sumter. The sons of Omar Temple, Ancient Shrine, will gather in Sumter on Thanksgiving Day for their regular

Jackson, Willie, colored, convicted for Edgefield county of burglary and

Huff, Richard, colored, convicted ommendation to mercy and sentenced

Holmes, Will, colored, convicted at the February, 1906 term of Court Richland county, of manslaughter, at the March, 1905, term of court for and sentenced to ten years' imprison-Hemphill, Lethia, colored, convict-

> John Sligh, Summer Leo, Rocksey months to two years.

CHOATE LAUDS WILSON

SAYS HE HAS SATISFIED PEO-PLE'S YEARNINGS.

The Distinguished Republican Lawyer Gives High Praise to the Democratic President.

In New York at the recent banquet at the Waldorf-Astoria in celebration of the 146th anniversary of the Chamber of Commerce, Hon. Joseph H. Choate caused a remarkable demonstration by his remarks on tic Has Agents Watching Cold President Wilson's attitude toward Mexico. When this eminent Republican, who had been Ambassador to the Another Federal investigation into Court of St. James, abruptly brought the high cost of living, promising in the Mexican situation everybody criminal prosecutions if Attorney wondered what was to follow. The

"What," Mr. Choate asked, "is the a Congressional investigation of a most stirring thing that agitates the ned prior to November 14. Last year different phase of the cost of living hearts of the American people totice are sifting charges that eggs, ico going to do with us? I should high prices and even force them high- Mexico. I think I could occupy the

"But there is only one man who knows that policy and he very wisely The proposal for a meat investiga- keeps his own counsel. It is a very tion was promised by an announce- trying situation; it is a very dangerconvicted at the April, 1899, term of ment that the navy had bought nearly ous situation, but one thing I know county of breach of trust with frau- Court for Richland County of murder 300,000 pounds of Australian fresh and for one thing I appeal to the dulent intent, and sentenced to eigh- with recommendation to mercy and beef at a half a cent a pound lower heart and head of every gentleman than the best prices of American present in this chamber to-night that Gillis, D. A. colored, convicted at packers, and 120,000 pounds of can- in this trying situation there is but convicted at the June, 1913, term of the June, 1905, term of Court for ned corn beef from the Australian one duty for all of us, and that is to

"You may call it diplomatic business, but it is fair to assume that the Announcing his intention to ask president is in possession of informa-

"One thing we are sure of: that he is for peace, that he is for preserving Lancaster County, of manslaughter, go far toward solving the cold storour president through thick and through thin, and we shall come out

After the prolonged cheering had ceased, Mr. Choate proceeded. "This has been working very hard, with the most honest purpose in the world. with, as I believe, no desire in his heart except to serve the American

people with the best of his ability. "He has passed a bill for the re formation of the tariff. I do not know whether that is a sore or joyous subject in this company, but for one I think he has done exceedingly well in that business. He has satisfied the yearnings of the American neople that have been suppressed for

the last twenty years." PAROLES THREE MORE.

Convicts to Receive Thanksgiving

Clemency Reaches 103. The number of convicts to receive clemency for Thanksgiving at the hands of Governor Blease went up to 103 Tuesday, when he paroled three more, two negroes serving life terms for murder, and one white man serving a chain gang sentence in Richland County for disorderly conduct.

The paroles were: W. B. Browder, white, convicted before Magistrate James H. Fowles, Jr., at Columbia, on November 22, of disorderly conduct and sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 or serve thirty days

on the chain gang. Euchas Freeman, colored, convicted in September, 1911, at Spartanimprisonment in the State Peniten-

John Croshy colored, convicted at the spring, 1910, term of Court for Anderson County of murder and sentenced to be hanged, the sentence being commuted to life imprisonment

in the State Penitentiary.

Found Safe Blown Open. When J. T. Blackwell, manager of the Palmetto Roller Mills, went to his office at Spartanburg Monday he evidence that the robbers were expert safe blowers. The job was skilfully done, but the robers obtained

ham removed the money Saturday.

Magazine Editor Killed. Herman D. Umbstatter, of Boston,

Looped the Loop Twice.

Lincoln Beachey, the aviator, late Tuesday looped the loop twice in the air above North Island, near San 2,500 feet Beachy dropped straight ing figure in movements for the de- baby were badly hurt Sunday when mediately turned over again into the Washington Tuesday as the result of somersault after striking a dog. The second, landing afterward.

Oranges at Beaufort. Beaufort is having a wonderful stricken. orange crop this year. On every hand

trees can be seen loaded down with

this fruit, which is grown successfully there. One of the gardens at that pleasure seekers from a flat car on pearance of S. Lewis Pinkerton, tax they are small states that grow pracplace has produced 1,500 for the the Waycross and South n Short collector of Edgemont township, near first crop. Beaten 2.080 Times. On complaint of his wife, who de- ed.

Beats Mob to Jail.

A negro, charged with assaulting

work house.

one of the most prominent women in Twiggs County, Ga., Monday after- a boy into shape, as you would a tenced to life imprisonment in the from sentences running from six ly made the flight from Jeffersonville piece of bronze. But you can not trian steamer Boheme were in irons great and the people of that country in an automobile.

GINNING FASTER

COTTON BEING GINNED FASTER THAN LAST YEAR

DECREASE IN TEXAS

Sumber of Bales Reported Ginned Reaches 10,434,387 by Nov. 14 Which is a Little Ahead of Last Year-South Carolina Shows 995, 897 as Against 882,976 Last Year

The fifth cotton ginning report of the census bureau for this season, issued at 10 o'clock Friday morning announced that 10,434,127 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales of the growth of 1912 had been ginto November 14 there had been ginned 10,291,431 bales; in 1908 to that date 9,595,809 bales, or 73.3 per cent. of the entire crop and in 1906 to that date 8,562,242 bales, or 65 per cent.

Included in the ginnings 74,127 round bales, compared with 62,190 bales last year, 93,364 bales in 1910, 123,757 bales in 1909 and 173,908

bales in 1908. The number of Sea Island cotton bales included were 52,679, compared with 41,321 bales last year, 68,-495 bales in 1909, and 56,701 bales in 1908.

Ginnings prior to November 14 by states, with comparisons for last year prior to that date in those years, fol-Alabama.

		Ginnings.	P.C.	
1913	 	1,182,747		
1912	 			
1911		1,239,211	73.1	
1908		1,020,724	76.6	
	A	rkansas.		
1913	 	603,724		
1912	 	545,988		
1911		563,115	62.0	
1908		665,232	66.8	
	1	Florida.		
1913	 	. 53,219		
1912	 	42,154		
1911		65,236	69.1	
1908	 		72.9	
	(Georgia.		
1913	 	1,824,290		
1912		1,331,111		
1911	1500	2,106,305	75.4	
1908	 • • • •	1,564,037	79.1	
		ouisiana.		
1913		374,997		
1912	 ::			
1911	::	그런 시간 - 얼마일어 모델 어디 [70.8	
1908		341,953	73.3	2
		ssissippi.		
		505 505		

1913 735,797 1912 644,115 1911 719,638 61.6 19081,986,183 67.0 North Carolina. 1913 493,025 1912 627,045 1911 716,200 451,434 Oklahoma. 1913 666,679 1912 722,512 1911 657,497 64.7 1908 322,051 46.7 South Carolina. 1913 995,897 1912 882,976 19111,163,984 1908 938,926 77.2 Tennessee.

1913 233,528 1912 138,072 1911 264,777 61.6 1908 243,493 73.9 Texas. 19133,304,665 19124,019,317 19113,473,702 19082,869,528 78.9 Other States. 1913 65,019 1912 59,952 1911 74,751 63.9

LINEMAN IS INJURED.

1908 46,751

Live Wire at Clinton Comes in Con-

tact With Man.

While doing repair work Monday morning on one of Clinton's main found the safe blown open and the electric lines, lineman J. L. Finch floor littered with papers. There was came in contact with a live wire and after leaving the horse show at Madiwas knocked down and painfully injured. At the time of the accident urday night, but were not seriously he was standing on a raised ladder injured. The driver fled after the on touching the wire he was knocked num, who gave chase in a passing the foodstuff and fertilizers hat they instantly to the ground. Medical at- automobile. tention was summoned at once and upon an examination it was found a writer and former editor of the that his right hip was fractured as Black Cat magazine. Tuesday died at well as other bruises about the body, his cottage at Lovell, near Portland, though his condition is not serious, Me., of an accidental rifle wound. As his injuries are quite painful and ton Navy Yard. There is room at the he was climbing a wall his rifle was will doubtless keep him confined to plant available, and it has been Spartanburg grand jury Monday war- discharged and the bullet penetrated his room for several days. The line found that there is plenty of labor was heavily charged and would and raw material in the neighbordoubtless have killed him instantly hood.

had he touched it squarely.

President Finley Dies. William Wilson Finley, president Diego, Cal. Starting at a height of of the Southern railway and a lead- Meridian, Miss., and their 5-year-old a stroke of applopexy which he suf- machine rolled down an embankfered a few hours before. He did not | ment. regain consciousness after he was

An overhanging lamb swept twenty Line Railroad near Waycross, Ga.,

Knocked Them Off.

Sunday afternoon. L. B. Lancaster,

21 years old, of Brunswick, was kill-

once every week since they were mar-Fell Into Bay. ried, a total of 2,080 times, Peter Three aviators tumbled into San Edwards, of Pittsburg, Pa., was sen- Francisco bay off the Panama-Pacific tenced Monday to 30 days in the

> John Ruskin says "you may chise hammer a girl into anything."

BAKING

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the world-celebrated for its great leavening strength and purity. It makes your cakes, biscuit, bread, etc., healthful, it insures you against alum and

TWO ARMY OFFICERS KILLED IN

FALLING BIPLANE Instructor and Novice Go Down Together in 80-Foot Drop, Engine

Crushing Them Both.

Two intrepid navigators of the air Lieut. Hugh M. Keily and Lieut. Er- This State Goes Ahead of Missouri ic L. Ellington, U. S. A., attached to the camp of the First Aero corps, at San Diego, Cal., were instantly killed at North Island, near San Diego. Monday, when they fell from an altotude of 80 or more feet in a dual control biplane. Lieut. Ellington, a skilful pilot, occupied the instructor's seat with Lieut. Kelly at his instructions in the handling of the control levers. Owing to the arrangement of the controling wires, Lieut. Ellington could be at all times ab-

solute master of the machine. ed to a height of 300 feet, cirnormal angle for about 200 feet. year. Then the engine, which was throttled at the beginning of the volplane, was thrown open.

sure by crushing them.

the government policy of aviation.' his own expense and explain what he believes should be done to render army aviation safer. Speaking about the mishap. Beachy said the apparatus used by army aviators was unsafe; that the machines were old and

Two Fell Ninety Feet. Waxhaw, N. C., to find out what was the matter with a pump, Fred J.

boys".

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Knocked Down by Auto. Dustin Farnum, the actor, and his wife were run down by an automobile son Square Garden, New York, Sat-

of Bowden and met the same fare

Factory at Charleston.

Secretary Daniels is preparing to begin the manufacture of cotton clothing for the navy in the Charles-

Dog Causes Accident.

Tax Collector Killed. Two farm hands of Media. Pa., arrested Wednesday on suspicion of In only two other states in the Union knowing something about the disan-Media, confessed early Thursday that

Dropped Dead in Church.

his body.

they had murdered him and buried

federate veteran, dropped dead in the lina crop will exceed the money value Methodist Protestant church at Mont- of the crops of a number of states exposition grounds Sunday in a series gomery. Ala., shortly after noon Sun- which show a larger total production. of contests and exhibitions with day during the service. He had just hydro-aeroplanes. Their machines completed a short talk when heart becoming the best country in which disease overcame him. were damaged, but nobody was hurt.

Mutiny Aboard Ship.

"Surely South Carolina is rapidly

all forms of adulteration that go with the low priced brands.

AIRMEN DROP TO DEATH GOOD CORN STATE SOUTH CAROLINA PRODUCES 20

BUSHELS TO ACRE NATIONAL AVERAGE 22

and Nebraska in Corn Produced to the Acre-State's Crop This Year Reaches Forty Million Bushels, Ac-

cording to Government Figures.

"At last on the United States figures," says Commissioner E. J. Watside. The latter, a comparative nov- son, "the production of corn per acre ice in the art of flying was receiving in the State of South Carolina is within two bushels of the average for the United States. This year South Carolina has left Georgia far behind, has gone a step ahead of Missouri and Nebraska, is running neck and The engine, one of six cylinders neck with Kentucky and Tennessee, and 60-horse power, was working and is within six bushels per acre of perfectly and the officers ascend- the average in Illinois. In other words, the Federal Government has cled and then began a volplane at last credited this State with an which was to have brought them average yield of 20 bushels to the back to the hangars. According to acre, which is five bushels better Capt. Cowan, in command of the av- than the average for the last 10 years iation post, the biplane glided at a and two bushels better than for last

"When the Government recently issued its preliminary estimate of the South Carolina corn crop, along Whether at his instant the avia- with that of the other states," said tors lost control or the initial impe- Col. Watson, "I stated that pretus of the revolving propeller, when liminary estimate was farcical and the biplane was at so low an altitude, that I proposed to challenge it before caused the machine to tip forward, the Secretary of Agriculture, I am can only be conjectured. But specta- gratified to say that this was not tors say the biplane suddenly shot to necessary, for before I had done so the earth. The impact probably kill- the Federal government had examin-November 1, and had issued its new

"In other words, this year corn means good money to South Carolina farmers if they hold it for the spring demand. The fact that we have increased the South Carolina crop this year as compared to last year by 2,

"Our crop this year is nearly double that of Kansas and in volume Pennsylvania, Virginia and other leading producing states notwith-Will Crow, another young mirer. standing South Carolina is one of the smallest States in the Union growwent down to see what had become ing both corn and cotton. With the tobacco crop we have had this year and with the corn crop and without any regard whatever to what the cotton crop will bring, the increase over last year is almost as large in millions of dollars as the entire surplus that the farms of the State have heretofore had on all crops at

used. "Take it all in all never since the work of rehabilitating agriculture in South Carolina was begun have the farmers of the State approached the end of the year with more substaintial and gratifying results measured in dollars and cents, and dollars and cens buy comforts in the farm home, buy pianos, buggies, etc., and enable the farm family to improve their class of living, and when they do that, that means improvement of every other line. Surely the masses J. T. Wright was instantly killed of the people of South Carolina have and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Fluker, of every good reason to lay aside their cares for the moment on Thursday next and participate in a general sea-

In the matter of quality, the average being represented by 100, the government gives South Carolina 102. In the matter of farm prices for corn on October 1 the government gives the figure at 1.03 per bushel, does cotton bring a higher price and tically no corn and are distant from the centre of production; namely, New Mexico and Rhode Island. The average farm price on October 1 in the United States for corn was 75.3 per bushel. This being true the ac-C. D. Snell, aged 65 years, a Con-tual money value of the South Caro-

son of thansgiving."

the farmer can live. As Commissioner Watson said at Mobile, speaking of the future of the South upon the noon, was hurriedly carried to Macon rock, or hammer him into it, if he be to incite other members of the crew make freight; freight makes comwhen the vessel reached Mobile, Ala. prosperous and happy."

both men, but the motor made death | ed the returns of the corn crop up to Lincoln Beachy, the aviator who estimate of the American corn crop has been flying at the army school for the year 1913 and that estimate at North Island, telegraphed to Sec- will hardly be changed. The results retary of War Garrison declaring as now announced by the Federal that the death of Ellington and Kel- Government are gratifying, particly, "illustrated radical mistakes in ularly when we consider that this year the total corn crop of the nation Beachy in his tolegram expressed is only 2,463,017,000, against 3,124, villingness to go to Washington at 756,000 last year. the equipment poor. He declared 566,000 bushels, shows that the effect steps should be taken "to prevent the of the Corn Exposition and the hard slaughter of these army and navy campaigning of the last few years in the matter of growing something other than cotton is bearing golden fruit. Personally, I believe the crop is ac-Going down a mine shaft near tually over 40,000,000 bushels now, Bowden Sunday morning was knock- it is reaching out after the crop of ed from the bucket, fell ninety feet into the water and was drowned.